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--Amendment filed January 17, 2000, Page 3, line 1.

The error was made by applicant in good faith and was a mere typographical error in that the word "between" was inadvertently left out of the claim. Reference to the specification at Column 2, lines 42-48, shows that the word "between" clarifies that the opening of the half-spherical structure is aligned "between" the 5° forward and 33° rearward lines. No new matter is being added to the patent and reexamination is not required.

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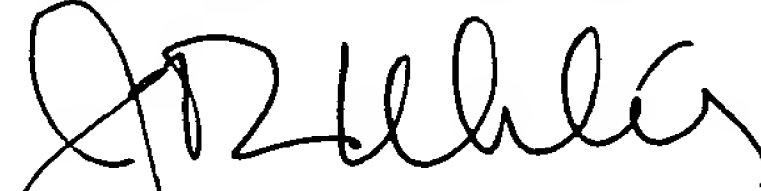
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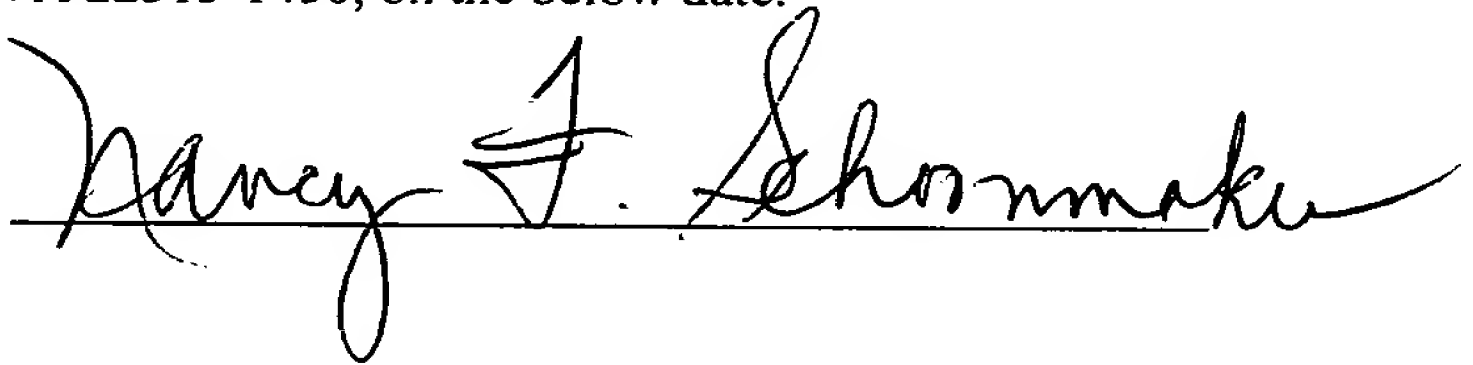


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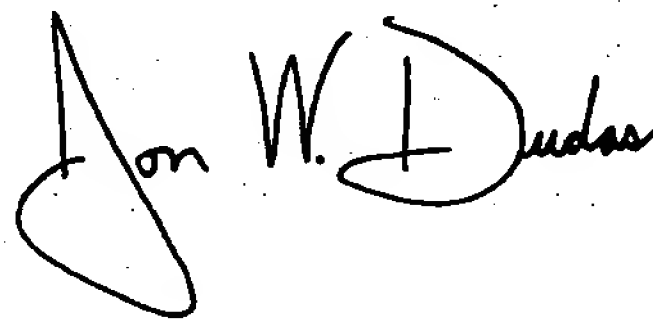
It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 3,

Line 17, "aligned approxi-" should read -- aligned between approxi- --

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